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1. A Soviet radio station was observed in a restricted area on Werner Fritze Strasse and Millerstrasse, MAGDEBURG (M 53/Y 60), in mid-October 1949. Four 80-foot masts, about 165 feet apart, were arranged in a square. A single-wire antenna was extended between two masts and a double-wire antenna between the two other masts.
2. A three-axle radio truck was parked under a protective roof in the radio station area which was surrounded by a 7-foot board fence. A 15-mm lead wire led from the radio station to the officers' mess and club in the Viktoria Schule.

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According to previous information, a guards signal unit (105th Sig Regt?) and a 100 to 120-watt army radio transmitter are in the mentioned restricted area where elements of the Hq Third Shock Army are stationed.

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